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The Honorable Andrew L. Carter, Jr.
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Re: *Doe v. New York University*
Case Number 19-CV-00744

Your Honor:

We represent Plaintiff John Doe in the above-referenced matter. We write to follow-up the February 8, 2019 letter from Defendant New York University (“NYU”) advising the Court of the decision of the external adjudicator appointed by NYU after a hearing held on January 28, 2019 concluding that Mr. Doe was not responsible for any violations of the NYU Sexual Misconduct, Relationship Violence, and Stalking Policy (“NYU Policy”). (*See* ECF Doc. No. 11.).

After NYU’s letter to the Court, NYU notified us by email on Monday, February 11, 2019, that Jane Roe filed an appeal of the decision. Mr. Doe has until February 19, 2019 to respond to Ms. Roe’s appeal and fully intends to do so. Thereafter, this matter will be sent to an appeals panel for a *second time*. These proceedings are the direct result of biased disciplinary proceedings against Mr. Doe as the accused male in violation of his Title IX right to be free from gender discrimination. Notwithstanding the fact that we granted NYU’s counsel the standard professional courtesy of a 30-day extension to respond to Mr. Doe’s Complaint, we wish to make it clear that Mr. Doe is proceeding with his claims against NYU in this action with all due speed.

We thank the Court for its attention to this matter.

Respectfully submitted,



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cc: Counsel for Defendant (by ECF and email)